

### Transfers.

Customs Dept.—H. Wright, from Emerson Man., to Saskatoon.

Wm. Young, from North Portal, Sask., to Emmerson, Man.

John Head, from Toronto to Winnipeg.

A. M. Cameron, from Winnipeg to Toronto.

### Resignations.

The following officials have resigned from the service since the the last number of the *Civilian*:

Post Office Dept.—J. D. Smith, Calgary; H. Clark, Calgary; W. Milestone, Calgary; A. B. Bryson, Vancouver; S. D. Arnold, Vancouver; W. B. Bettsworth, Vancouver; Miss C. A. Bunel, Ottawa; M. E. C. Clarke, Toronto; E. B. Carmichael, Vancouver; A. L. S. Emsley, Calgary.

Customs Dept.—P. G. Dawson, Sarnia; H. D. Bannatyne, Winnipeg; J. A. McTavish Victoria; W. L. Boul, Vancouver.

Inland Revenue Dept.—Wm. Doobie, from the Calgary office.

Marine Dept.—Jas. Pattison, who has been mechanical engineer.

Railways & Canals.—Miss W. O'Toole.

### Deaths.

T. F. Watt of the P. O., Toronto, died on February 15th.

A. Labelle, Customs officer, Montreal, died on March 7th.

J. B. Martineau of the Customs service, Montreal, died on March 7th.

Robert Hogg appaiser for the port of Charlottetown, died on March 15th.

Mr. Taylor of the Registration Branch of the Interior Department Ottawa, died March 12th.

### General.

Mr. F. H. McLaren who since his return from British Columbia has been ill, was successfully operated upon at St. Luke's hospital on March 19th and hopes to return to his work at the Geological Survey within a week.

The following members of the Mines Department attended a meeting of the Nova Scotia Mining Institute at Halifax last week: R. H. Brock, the Director and Messrs Ells, Faribault, Hudson and McLeish. A number of papers were read by the Ottawa delegation

Anselme Labelle, of the Customs Department, Montreal, died on the 8th March. He is the first to draw the mortuary benefit from the Customs Association formed at Montreal on the 21st December 1909.

Hon. W. Patterson, his secretary, Mr. R. Telford and Mr. Russell of the Finance Department have returned in the best of health from an extended trip to the west Indies.

Mr. A. G. McBean of Montreal has been acting chief grain inspector in Montreal for the past year, has been appointed chief grain inspector for the Eastern Division, vice Mr. E. F. Craig deceased.

Miss W. A. Toole of the Railways and Canals Department is to be married at the end of the month to the superintendent of the Experimental Farm in Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Mr. John O'Neil has been temporarily appointed stenographer in the Engineers branch of the Railways Department.

An epidemic of la grippe has made the rounds of the Registration Branch, Interior Department, no less than thirteen being laid up with it in the one week. Fortunately most are back at work.

Mr. H. Lamb, resident engineer of the Public Works Department in London has been in Ottawa on official business.

Mr. E. L. Britain of the Finance Department is again confined to his home suffering from a relapse of his accident.

Arthur Brophy of the Secretary of State Department has accompanied Sir Charles Fitzpatrick to the Hague in the capacity of private secretary.

Miss A. MacGrady has been granted a short leave of absence on account of illness.

The members of the Public Works Department deplore the death of their late colleague G. Brown and sent a beautiful wreath as a symbol of their sorrow.